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STATEMENT**

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Sir:

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.56 and § 1.97-§1.98, Applicants hereby submit the references listed on the enclosed Substitute for Forms 1449 of which they are aware, which they believe may be material to the examination of this application and in respect of which there may be a duty to disclose.

A list of the references is set forth on the enclosed substitute Forms 1449. A copy of each of the listed references is supplied herewith, except for issued United States patents and published United States patent applications.

Listed references V54, V55, and V57-V69 cited on sheets 1, 3, and 4 emanated from U.S. district court litigation and a European opposition involving commonly owned related patents. Reference V56 was cited in the prosecution of a related U.S. patent application.

Items 8712 and 8724 on sheet 1 are Notices of Allowance from related U.S. patent applications that have been published. As these item are from published patent applications, Applicants believe that no copies of any documents are required to support this citation. 37 CFR §1.98.

All of the remaining references (listed on sheets 1 through 2) are related U.S. patents and patent applications, but not all have been published. Publication numbers are listed where available. Copies of non-published patent applications are provided, pursuant to CFR §1.98(a)(2)(iii).

Applicants are bringing the related patent applications, patents, and Notices of Allowance listed on sheets 1 and 2 to the attention of the Examiner pursuant to McKesson Information Solutions v. Bridge Medical, 487 F.3d 897 (Fed. Cir. 2007).

Applicants wish to inform the Examiner that the sci.crypt references disclosed to the USPTO in the IDS mailed December 20, 2005 were brought to the attention of Applicants on or shortly after June 2, 2005 in litigation pleadings pertaining to a related issued U.S. patent. These pleadings consisted of Preliminary Invalidity Contentions, and were cited to the USPTO as reference V15 in the IDS mailed November 28, 2007.


While the references disclosed in this Information Disclosure Statement may be "material" pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, submission of this IDS is not intended to constitute an admission that any reference cited herein is "prior art" for this invention, unless specifically designated as such.

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.97(g), the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed to mean that a search has been made, or that no other material information as defined in 37 CFR §1.56(a) exists. This Information Disclosure Statement complies with 37 CFR §1.98 and MPEP §609, and therefore Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to consider the listed references.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the mailing of at least one Office Action but before the mailing of a final Office Action. We are enclosing the required fee of \$180.00 set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(p). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment and to charge any deficiency in any required fee to Deposit Account No. 19-3140. This sheet is being enclosed in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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